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ELECTROPHORETICALLY MOBILE
PEPTIDIC SUBSTRATES FOR
ENZYMATIC REACTIONS AND
METHODS FOR THEIR USE IN HIGH-
THROUGHPUT SCREENING ASSAYS**

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified RCE application, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.